

MENTORING SESSION #6

Name of Protégé _____
Name of Mentor _____
Date of Session _____

“The needs of a human being are sacred.”

Simone Weil

PROFESSIONAL:

Core area of focus: Leadership

Subject: Leadership in ministry: Doing Global Ministry (assessing spiritual needs)

Bring to the session: - Needs Assessment recently accomplished at local base
- Copy of “Doing Global Ministry” CD sent to every base
- List of chapel programs and leadership at your base

- 1) Discuss and review a Needs Assessment recently done at your base. Discuss the various needs assessments tools and how they are used here at your base.
- 2) Review the second section of the “Doing Global Ministry” CD, Assessing Needs. It contains both an introduction to the Needs Assessment as well as tools for putting one together at the local base. Discuss how the Needs Assessment is usually compiled and interpreted.
- 3) Discuss the response of the wing chaplain, other chaplains and parish advisory council to the results of the Needs Assessment (short and long range planning).
- 4) Consider appointing the chaplain as project officer for doing a Needs Assessment at your base chapel.
- 5) Discuss the difference between “providing” ministry and “providing for” ministry.

PERSONAL:

Just as an organization has needs to be assessed so do we as individuals. How can assessing your personal needs benefit and/or add stress to your life?

NEXT SESSION DATE and TIME: